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Information	to identify the case:	1 3.50
Debtor 1	Joseph H Samo	Social Security number or ITIN xxx-xx-6489
	First Name Middle Name Last Name	EIN
Debtor 2 (Spouse, if filing)	April M Samo	Social Security number or ITIN xxx-xx-2290
	First Name Middle Name Last Name	EIN
United States Bankruptcy Court WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA		
Case number: 17–70743–JAD		

# **Order of Discharge**

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IT IS ORDERED: A discharge under 11 U.S.C. § 727 is granted to:

Joseph H Samo April M Samo

1/24/18 By the court: <u>Jeffery A. Deller</u>

United States Bankruptcy Judge

### **Explanation of Bankruptcy Discharge in a Chapter 7 Case**

This order does not close or dismiss the case, and it does not determine how much money, if any, the trustee will pay creditors.

### Creditors cannot collect discharged debts

This order means that no one may make any attempt to collect a discharged debt from the debtors personally. For example, creditors cannot sue, garnish wages, assert a deficiency, or otherwise try to collect from the debtors personally on discharged debts. Creditors cannot contact the debtors by mail, phone, or otherwise in any attempt to collect the debt personally. Creditors who violate this order can be required to pay debtors damages and attorney's fees.

However, a creditor with a lien may enforce a claim against the debtors' property subject to that lien unless the lien was avoided or eliminated. For example, a creditor may have the right to foreclose a home mortgage or repossess an automobile.

This order does not prevent debtors from paying any debt voluntarily or from paying reaffirmed debts according to the reaffirmation agreement. 11 U.S.C. § 524(c), (f).

#### Most debts are discharged

Most debts are covered by the discharge, but not all. Generally, a discharge removes the debtors' personal liability for debts owed before the debtors' bankruptcy case was filed.

Also, if this case began under a different chapter of the Bankruptcy Code and was later converted to chapter 7, debts owed before the conversion are discharged.

In a case involving community property: Special rules protect certain community property owned by the debtor's spouse, even if that spouse did not file a bankruptcy case.

For more information, see page 2 >

#### Some debts are not discharged

Examples of debts that are not discharged are:

- debts that are domestic support obligations;
- debts for most student loans;
- debts for most taxes;
- debts that the bankruptcy court has decided or will decide are not discharged in this bankruptcy case;
- debts for most fines, penalties, forfeitures, or criminal restitution obligations;
- some debts which the debtors did not properly list;
- debts for certain types of loans owed to pension, profit sharing, stock bonus, or retirement plans; and
- debts for death or personal injury caused by operating a vehicle while intoxicated.

Also, debts covered by a valid reaffirmation agreement are not discharged.

In addition, this discharge does not stop creditors from collecting from anyone else who is also liable on the debt, such as an insurance company or a person who cosigned or guaranteed a loan.

This information is only a general summary of the bankruptcy discharge; some exceptions exist. Because the law is complicated, you should consult an attorney to determine the exact effect of the discharge in this case.

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In re: Joseph H Samo April M Samo Debtors Case No. 17-70743-JAD Chapter 7

#### CERTIFICATE OF NOTICE

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Notice by first class mail was sent to the following persons/entities by the Bankruptcy Noticing Center on Jan 26, 2018. db/idb April M Samo, 137 Blawn Street, Johnstown, PA 15906-1854 +Joseph H Samo. +Ameriserv Financial Collections, 216 Franklin Street, 6th Floor, 14708534 Suite 608, P.O. Box 520, Johnstown, PA 15907-0520 14708536 +Best Buy Credit Services, P.O. Box 9001007, Louisville, +Comenity-Boscov's, P.O. Box 659622, 14708538 San Antonio, TX 78265-9622 +Conemaugh Memorial Medical Center, 1086 Franklin Street, Johnstown, PA 15905-4305 +Conemaugh Memorial Medical Center, Attn: Patient Accounting, 1086 Franklin Street 14708539 14708540 1086 Franklin Street, Johnstown, PA 15905-4305 +Conemaugh Physician Group, 14708541 1086 Franklin Street, Johnstown, PA 15905-4398 Louisville, KY 40290-1055 Louisville, KY 40290-1065 14708543 +Sears Credit Cards, P.O. Box 9001055, +Sears Credit Cards, P.O. Box 9001065, 14708544 Notice by electronic transmission was sent to the following persons/entities by the Bankruptcy Noticing Center. +EDI: QJRWALSH.COM Jan 25 2018 02:48:00 James R. Walsh, Spence, Custer, Saylor, Wolfe & Rose, LLC, 1067 Menoher Boulevard, Johnstown, PA 15905-2545 E-mail/Text: RVSVCBICNOTICE1@state.pa.us Jan 25 2018 03:04:35 smg Pennsylvania Dept. of Revenue, Department 280946, P.O. Box 280946, ATTN: BANKRUPTCY DIVISION, Harrisburg, PA 17128-0946 14708535 EDI: BANKAMER.COM Jan 25 2018 02:48:00 Bank of America, P.O. Box 15019, Wilmington, DE 19886 14708537 +EDI: WFNNB.COM Jan 25 2018 02:48:00 Comenity-Bon Ton. P.O. Box 659813, San Antonio, TX 78265-9113 +E-mail/Text: BKRMailOPS@weltman.com Jan 25 2018 03:04:11 14708542 Kay Jewelers, 375 Ghent Road. Akron, OH 44333-4600 14709507 +EDI: PRA.COM Jan 25 2018 02:48:00 PRA Receivables Management, LLC, PO Box 41021, Norfolk, VA 23541-1021 +EDI: RMSC.COM Jan 25 2018 02:48:00 14708545 Synchrony Bank/JC Penny, P.O. Box 960090, Orlando, FL 32896-0090 +EDI: RMSC.COM Jan 25 2018 02:48:00 14708546 Synchrony Bank/Lowes, P.O. Box 530914, Atlanta, GA 30353-0914 +EDI: CHASE.COM Jan 25 2018 02:48:00 14708547 Toys R Us/Babies R Us, Cardmember Service, Wilmington, DE 19886-5153 P.O. Box 15153, TOTAL: 9 \*\*\*\* BYPASSED RECIPIENTS (undeliverable, \* duplicate) \*\*\*\*\* BANK OF AMERICA, N.A. cr +PRA Receivables Management, LLC, PO Box 41021, cr\* Norfolk, VA 23541-1021 TOTALS: 1, \* 1, ## 0

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I, Joseph Speetjens, declare under the penalty of perjury that I have sent the attached document to the above listed entities in the manner shown, and prepared the Certificate of Notice and that it is true and correct to the best of my information and belief.

Meeting of Creditor Notices only (Official Form 309): Pursuant to Fed. R. Bank. P. 2002(a)(1), a notice containing the complete Social Security Number (SSN) of the debtor(s) was furnished to all parties listed. This official court copy contains the redacted SSN as required by the bankruptcy rules and the Judiciary's privacy policies.

Date: Jan 26, 2018 Signature: /s/Joseph Speetjens

#### CM/ECF NOTICE OF ELECTRONIC FILING

The following persons/entities were sent notice through the court's CM/ECF electronic mail (Email) system on January 24, 2018 at the address(es) listed below:

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